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PRODUCT CATALOG

HERCULES®

# Dedicated to the Plumbing Professional

At Hercules, we don't consider you as "just" a paying customer. You're more than that. You're someone with professional integrity, someone dedicated to family, someone who's a good friend. You want to do your job quickly and more importantly – effectively, so that you can move on to the other things that are important in your life. You want to work hard, but only so that you can play hard. We're like that too.



If this catalog looks different from other catalogs, then we've succeeded once again in bringing our unique approach to the task at hand. We wanted our catalog to look different, because we are different. We're not your average manufacturing company, and we're certainly unique in the plumbing industry. Hercules constantly strives to combine tradition with a cutting-edge approach, and to bring leadership to the field. We hope this catalog reflects those ideals. You see, those were also the ideals of our founder, Sam Wander.



Sam Wander was known for "walking the tracks" when he started Hercules in 1915. He went diligently and enthusiastically from town to town, on foot, selling Drain Pipe Solvent, Hercules first product. His creed was "I've got to take care of my customers." Since then, Hercules has continued to change and grow along with the plumbing industry: plumbers have

become better trained...equipment is more sophisticated ...supply houses have evolved into specialized distributors. Many wholesalers have opened luxurious showrooms – something Sam may have never imagined in his days of claw-foot tubs, lead and oakum, and green and ivory-porcelain kitchen sinks. Still, the Hercules creed remains the same.

Hercules established a factory in New York City and, with Sam's creed still intact, the company grew as the product line expanded. The Johni Bolt® is now an industry standard.

The Johni Ring® is the only wax ring to come in a unique sealed plumber-friendly package. One after another, Hercules developed specialized drain cleaners, made improved thread sealants, and even formulated a gentle hand cleaner made specially for plumbers. Most recently, came up the first and only true non-staining plumbers putty, **sta-put Ultra®**. Customers have come to trust Hercules to help overcome difficult plumbing challenges.

Solving problems with innovative products is just one way Hercules contributes to the industry. Year after year, Hercules supports the community and helps industry players, at every level, succeed. With creative marketing approaches, leadership roles at industry trade shows and conventions, innovative selling tools and programs, and dissemination of information – we're happy to share these techniques with others to help make the industry stronger. We help customers understand and comply with federal regulations, including HazCom training and a D.O.T.



handbook, all provided free of charge. In 2002, Hercules co-founded

OateySCS, an innovative new supply chain system offering customers "one-stop shopping" of leading brands – something never before seen in the industry.

Today the Hercules facilities are located in Passaic, NJ, and it's one of the few companies to boast being both employee-owned as well as a union shop.



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The employee-owners are proud of earning the prestigious awards including the OSHA SHARP award for safety and achieving ISO 9001:2008 certification for our Quality Management system.

Staying true to Sam Wander's philosophy of servicing the customer, Hercules offers a customer help-line (800-221-9330 or info@herchem.com) for questions relating not only to its product line, but for any plumbing or safety questions as well. And the Hercules web-site is constantly being updated to offer its visitors more useful information. All product information, MSDS, and spec sheets can be easily obtained via our web site accessible by computer or mobile device.



If Sam were alive and working today, he'd be carrying a smart phone and laptop and taking the "red-eye" instead of walking the tracks. But he wouldn't have to change his creed. Isn't it funny how today lots of organizations use buzz words - "core values," "best practices," "world class" - to describe themselves in a way that Sam put plainly? "I've got to take care of my customers." All of us at Hercules remain pledged to earning the continued trust of our customers and friends.

*Our very sincere thanks go to all those plumbers and wholesalers who share our belief in the quality approach to doing business. Please help us continue to do what we do best by asking for our products and by accepting no compromise in quality.*

Stay in touch, and we'll do the same.

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# Flux

## climate smooth™ soldering paste

Smooth, superior quality petrolatum based flux, specially formulated for use in extreme climate temperatures all year long. Unlike some paste fluxes which become semi-liquid when stored at high temperatures, and stiff at low temperatures, climate smooth will NOT lose its consistency. For use with all soft solders—including new, higher melting alloys. For sweat soldering most common metals except aluminum. Self-cleaning; lead-free formula. Chemically removes oxides on contact and prevents oxidation during heating. Meets Commercial Item Description A-A-51145 (supersedes Fed. Spec. O-F-506).

MSDS #4. ANSI MSDS #390.

### Prod.

No.	Size	Pack	Note	Bar Code
10606	1.8 oz.	72	6-1dz. display packs	032628106062
10608	2 oz.	48	screw cap with brush	032628106086
10616	1/2 lb.	24	-	032628106161
10619	9 oz.	24	screw cap with brush	032628106195
10621	1 lb.	24	-	032628106215



## H<sub>2</sub>OFlux™ water flushable paste

Formulated to meet ASTM B-813 for water flushable fluxes. A blend of water soluble organic flux activators and wetting agents. All residue easily rinses clean with water. Lead-free. This smooth, non-runny paste applies easily and spreads evenly. Recommended for use with all soft solders, 95/5, and other lead free solder alloys. UPC listed. Meets all requirements of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act.

MSDS #98. ANSI MSDS #387.

Prod. No.	Size	Pack	Note	Bar Code
10303	4 fl. oz.	12	-	032628103030
10307	16 fl. oz.	12	-	032628103078



## jel-flux™

Non-petrolatum gel type soldering flux meets ASTM B-813 for water flushable fluxes. Cleans, fluxes, retards oxide formation while heating, and enhances solder flow. Lead-free, self-cleaning, and flows easily to provide quick, complete coverage – yet is specially formulated to avoid drips and runs during application. Use with soft solder, 95/5, and other lead free solders. Penetrates through oil film. For use on most common metals except aluminum and stainless steels. Meets Commercial Item Description A-A-51145 (supersedes Fed. Spec. O-F-506).

MSDS #6. ANSI MSDS #388.

Prod. No.	Size	Pack	Note	Bar Code
10810	4 oz.	24	dauber in cap	032628108103
10815	8 oz.	24	dauber in cap	032628108158



# Preparation Products

## open mesh abrasive cloth

For cleaning and preparing copper pipe and fittings for soldering. Can be used in wet environments, and is easily cleaned with water for re-use. Made with resin-bonded 180-grit aluminum oxide for a sharper cutting face. Both sides are equally effective in cleaning pipe. Non-clogging. Long lasting. Packaged in a dispensing box.

Prod. No.	Size	Pack	Note	Bar Code
45011	1 1/2" x 5 yds.	24	dispenser box	032628450110
45013	1 1/2" x 10 yds.	24	dispenser box	032628450134



## grit roll™

For cleaning, polishing, and deburring copper pipe and fittings. Made with water-resistant resin-bonded aluminum oxide (120 grit size). Packaged in a dispensing box. Imported.

Prod. No.	Size	Pack	Note	Bar Code
45025	1 1/2" x 10 yds.	24	dispenser box	032628450257
45030	1 1/2" x 25 yds.	12	dispenser box	032628450301



## fitting brushes

Industrial grade brushes feature abundant high-quality, long-lasting stainless steel bristles, assuring maximum performance and life. Available with wire or plastic handles.

Prod. No.	Size	Pack	Note	Bar Code
<b>Wire handle:</b>				
45050	1/2" CTS	36	(3 - 1 dz.)	032628450509
45055	3/4" CTS	36	(3 - 1 dz.)	032628450554
45060	1" CTS	36	(3 - 1 dz.)	032628450608
45061	1 1/4" CTS	12	-	032628450615
45062	1 1/2" CTS	12	-	032628450622
45063	2" CTS	12	-	032628450639
<b>Heavier duty brush with Plastic Handle:</b>				
45070	1/2" CTS	36	(3 - 1 dz.)	032628450707
45075	3/4" CTS	36	(3 - 1 dz.)	032628450752
45080	1" CTS	36	(3 - 1 dz.)	032628450806
45081	1 1/4" CTS	12	-	032628450813
45082	1 1/2" CTS	12	-	032628450820
45083	2" CTS	12	-	032628450837



## tube cleaning brush

Cleans the outside of tubing when preparing to solder. High quality, stainless steel bristles.

Prod. No.	Size	Pack	Note	Bar Code
45085	1/2" CTS	36	(6 - 6 pk.)	032628450851
45090	3/4" CTS	36	(6 - 6 pk.)	032628450905
45095	1" CTS	36	(6 - 6 pk.)	032628450950



## solder flux and acid brush

Prod. No.	Size	Pack	Note	Bar Code
50400	5 3/4"	144	-	032628504004

